

TENNESSEE'S WASTE TIRE PROGRAM

DIVISION OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
LOUIS BORDENAVE
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PUBLIC CHAPTER 457

Signed by Governor Haslam

Effective July 1, 2014

Sponsored by Tennessee Association of County Mayors

Two ways for counties to receive \$1.00 per new tire sold

- **Direct Pay from Department of Revenue**
- **TDEC Waste Tire Grant and other grants**

\$0.25 to TDEC



TDEC TIRE SURVEY

County Mayors were sent a survey to determine their preference for payment:

- Direct payment from Department of Revenue
- TDEC Waste Tire Recycling Grant

Majority of respondents preferred direct payment from Department of Revenue




TIRE PRE-DISPOSAL FEE- \$1.35

Collected by tire generators from customers on each NEW tire sold

New tires = passenger, truck or agricultural tires

Tires that are exempt from the pre-disposal fee:

- **Used tires**
 - **Accessory tires on used vehicles**
 - **Tires on new vehicles**
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WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE FEE AFTER JULY 1, 2014

Tire generators keep \$0.10 for collecting the fee, completing reporting paperwork, and sending fee to the Department of Revenue

Department of Revenue receives \$1.25 from tire generators quarterly

Department of Revenue pays:

- **Counties \$1.00 of pre-disposal fees reported**
 - **TDEC \$0.25 of pre-disposal fees reported**
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WHAT WILL HAPPEN WITH WASTE TIRE GRANTS?

Some expire June 30, 2014 and will not be renewed

Waste Tire Grants with expiration dates after July 1, 2014 will be terminated on June 30, 2014

All counties will receive direct payment from the Department of Revenue after July 1, 2014

Grants for tire cleanup of priority legacy illegal tire dumps will be funded beginning in FY 2015



COUNTY ON-GOING RESPONSIBILITY

Maintain records of grant funding for 3 years after final payment of the grant

Provide one place in the county to receive tires (TCA 68-211-866 (b))

Use funds for beneficial end use of tires (TCA 68-211-867) or disposal with financial justification (TCA 68-211-867 (d)(2))

Report annually through the Annual Progress Report (TCA 68-211-821) the weight of tires recycled and beneficial end use (TCA 67-4-1610)

Report annually through the Annual Progress Report the weight of tires landfilled, if any, and provide complete financial justification (TCA 67-4-1610)



COUNTY ON-GOING RESPONSIBILITY

Monitor tire generators for:

- Tires received (for Annual Progress Report)
- Quarterly Pre-disposal Fee Collection Reports

Determine whether to charge tire generators for tires delivered to the collection site including those exempted from the tire pre-disposal fee

Cleanup of small waste tire dump sites on county property created after July 1, 2014



TDEC ON-GOING RESPONSIBILITY

Identify legacy large illegal tire dumps (created prior to July 1, 2014)

Prioritize and schedule funding for cleanup of legacy large illegal tire dumps

Monitor county tire disposal/recycling reported in the Annual Progress Report

Enforcement for illegal tire dumps created after July 1, 2014, not cleaned up by the County

Monitor/inspect beneficial end use processing companies



DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ON-GOING RESPONSIBILITY

Provide forms to tire generators needed to register and report tire pre-disposal fees

Quarterly collection of tire pre-disposal fee

Quarterly reporting to Counties who sign up for reports of tire pre-disposal fees collected

Audit of tire generators not paying tire pre-disposal fees

Direct payment to Counties of \$1.00 per tire for tire pre-disposal fees collected



TIMELINE MEMO FEBRUARY 5, 2014

Review the TIMELINE MEMO

Outlines tasks required to transition the waste tire grant program to direct payment from the Department of Revenue

Review the TIMELINE MEMO, again!

Plan for what's coming next - - -



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